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TAGS: PFOR PINS OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A)

SUBJECT: THOUSANDS RALLY IN JERUSALEM AGAINST INTERIM AGREEMENT

REF: JERUSALEM 1403

1. MASSIVE JERUSALEM RALLY AGAINST PROJECTED ISRAEL-EGYPT
INTERIM AGREEMENT TOOK PLACE IN JERUSALEM EVENING AUG 28. DESPITE
SIZE (ESTIMATES VARY FROM TEN TO TWENTY THOUSAND) RALLY AT WESTERN
WALL IN OLD CITY AND SUBSEQUENT MARCH ACROSS TOWN TO CONVENTION
CENTER (BINYENEI HAOOMA) REMAINED ORDERLY THROUGHOUT. DEMON-
STRATORS INCLUDED HIGH PERCENTAGE OF YOUNG PEOPLE, MANY YESHIVA
(RELIGIOUS SCHOOL) STUDENTS. GUSH EMUNIM ORGANIZERS HAD CALLED FOR
"TENS OF THOUSANDS" TO JOIN RALLY AND ORGANIZED BUS TRANSPORTATION
FROM VARIOUS PARTS OF ISRAEL, BUT CROWD REPORTEDLY DID NOT
COME UP TO EXPECTATIONS.

2. JERUSALEM POST AD FOR "MARCH ON JERUSALEM" PROCLAIMED "TODAY
SINAI, TOMORROW THE GOLAN HEIGHTS, AFTER THAT JUDEA AND SAMARIA, AND
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FINALLY JERUSALEM. BUT IT'S NOT TOO LATE. YOU CAN STOP THE ROT".

SPEAKERS AT RALLY WERE MAINLY CRITICAL OF RABIN AND GOI BUT ANTI-KISSINGER PLACARDS ALSO PROMINENT. ONE SPEAKER, ACCORDING TO RADIO, WARNED GOI OF NEED FOR FAR MORE DETAILED EXPLANATIONS TO PUBLIC IF, AS HE FEARED, FURTHER NEGOTIATIONS WERE CONTEMPLATED ON GOLAN, JUDEA AND SAMARIA, ETC.

3. EARLIER ON AUG 28 PRO-AGREEMENT GROUP OF LABOR, YA'AD, MOKED AND RAKAH-AFFILIATED STUDENTS OCCUPIED HEBREW UNIVERSITY STUDENT UNION OFFICES FOR TWO HOURS PROTESTING ANTI PACT STAND BY UNION LEADERSHIP. PREVIOUS NIGHT ANOTHER SMALL GROUP PAINTED SLOGANS AT LOCAL HERUT OFFICES AND OTHERS DISTRIBUTED PAMPHLETS ATTACKING HERUT MK'S AS WARMONGERS.

4. TWENTY-EIGHT DEMONSTRATORS STILL BEING HELD IN JAIL IN JERUSALEM APPEARED BEFORE MAGISTRATE AUG 28 AND WERE REMANDED IN FURTHER CUSTODY. DETAINEES INCLUDE WELL KNOWN KIRYAT ARBA LEADER, RABBI MOSHE LEVINGER.
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